

Court of Appeals, State of Michigan

ORDER

People of MI v Levie Williams

Docket No. 271113

LC No. 96-002162

Kurtis T. Wilder
Presiding Judge

Michael J. Talbot

Kirsten Frank Kelly
Judges

On June 21, 2006, this Court held the motion to review bail in abeyance pending the production of the transcript of the bond hearing. The Court now removes the motion from abeyance and orders that the motion to review bail is GRANTED.

This Court remanded this matter to the trial court for a bond hearing to provide defendant an opportunity to come forward with evidence and/or justification as to why he was entitled to a bond. The transcript of the bond hearing indicates that defendant failed to do so. Furthermore, at the hearing, the trial court failed to consider and make findings on the record relating to the factors listed in MCL 765.6(1) and MCR 6.106(F)(1) as to why the \$7,500 cash bond was appropriate in light of the seriousness of the charges and to ensure defendant's appearance at trial, and in light of this Court's order issued on August 23, 2005, that vacated the trial court's previous \$5,000 cash bond. Therefore, the order allowing a cash bond of \$7,500 is VACATED, and defendant shall continue to be remanded without bond.

On the Court's own motion, the Court further orders that the appeal pending in this Court, Docket No. 265851, is EXPEDITED. The briefs and the lower court record have been filed with this Court. The Clerk of this Court is directed to place this case on the next available case call.



A true copy entered and certified by Sandra Schultz Mengel, Chief Clerk, on

JUL 19 2006

Date

Sandra Schultz Mengel
Chief Clerk